

No. 3811

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Stuart James R.

Residence Madison Wis.

Date June 3, 1886

Rec'd. " 7 "

Ack'g'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

About the removal of  
his picture, which he  
hopes to accomplish soon

Dear June)

Madison Wisconsin

June. 3. 1886

W. Wm. McLeod

Dear Sir

Your postal of May 26<sup>th</sup>

relating to my picture, came duly  
to hand. I am taking steps to  
have it sent for and removed from  
the Gallery, which I hope can be  
accomplished very soon.

Yours truly

James R. Smart

Reid Sturtevant  
May 22<sup>nd</sup>

Madison. Wisconsin

May 22. 1886

Wm McLeod Eng

Dear Sir

It is a long while since I last wrote you about my picture "Eagle & Indian", which was hung in the Corcoran Gallery - I wrote to friends to have it removed and taken charge of and also to Brulatour & Dyer on the same subject, but had no answer. Meanwhile affliction in my family put everything away from me for a while - But, having heard lately that the picture is still in the Gallery, I write to ask if it is so that I may decide upon its future disposition.

Yours respectfully James P. Steart

No. 3802,

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Am. Art Assn

Residence N. Y.

Date

Rec'd June 8. 1886

Ack'g'd. " "

Answered.

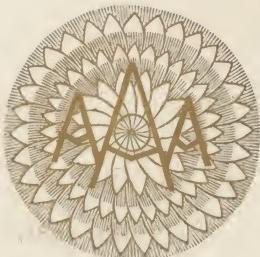
SUBJECT.

Invitation to "Reception  
to Artists"

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Reid Street &  
June 7<sup>th</sup> 1888



The American Art Association  
cordially invite yourself and lady to be present  
at a  
RECEPTION TO THE ARTISTS,  
Wednesday evening, June 8th,  
from 8 to 11 o'clock,  
Presentation of Medals of Honor.

R. S. V. P.

No. 6 East 23d Street,

No. 3803,

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Newton No 2

Residence 800. 17<sup>th</sup> st.

Date June 9. 1886.

Rec'd " 9 "

Ack'g'd. " 11 "

Answered.....

SUBJECT.

Enclose men to ac-  
company wagon of Ralph  
Lynd.

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To Mr. Macleod

Wednesday-

Rec'd June 9  
11

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Mrs Newton was engaged when  
the messenger came this A.M.-  
or would have enclosed the  
accompanying memorandum  
which goes with the Picture -

Is the other relative in the collection  
a Pinckney that Mr Corcoran refers  
to - or a Mairgault - ?  
800 - 19<sup>th</sup> St.

No. 3804,

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Ellenay Morris Nettie  
Residence Cincinnati  
Date June 7. 1886.

Rec'd. 9 "

Ack'g'd. 11 "

Answered.....

SUBJECT.

Has forwarded her  
pictures to the Gallery  
for exhibition

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Recd June 9  
A.P.

Cincinnati June 5<sup>th</sup> 1886  
215 Court St. - M.

Mr W MacDeoal  
Dear Sir

I beg to inform you  
that my pictures which were  
admitted for exhibition to the  
Corcoran Art-Gallery April 5<sup>th</sup>,  
have been forwarded to Wash-  
ington by Express directed to  
the care of the Corcoran Art-Gallery.

Though requested to do so I  
have refrained from exhibiting them  
to the public here, as I did not

think such a proceeding just to  
your Gallery.

If the criticism by a few  
artist-friends are just, - I think  
you will not be disappointed,  
and hope that you will be  
kind enough and have them  
hung in a favorable position  
so that my friends many of  
whom will visit your Gallery  
for the purpose of seeing them,  
may see them under the most  
favorable surfaces.

I shall be pleased to  
hear from you of their safe  
arrival.

I am very respectfully yours  
William Elbow Jr

No. 3805-

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Church J. E.

Residence Hudson

Date June 8. 1886.

Rec'd. 9

Ack'g'd. 11

Answered. 15

SUBJECT.

Wishes the Niagara  
sent him for repairs.



Hudson June 8<sup>th</sup> 1886-

Mr. Macleod Esq. Recd June 9  
Dear Sirs " 10  
" " 15

If Mr. Corcoran is willing to take the risk of sending the "Niagara" to me here, I think I shall be able to repaint the stained parts of the picture.

My Studio is perhaps 1000 feet from my house. But there will be no fire in it at this season and any other risk will be very small. Besides I do not think that I shall be obliged to have the picture in the Studio more than one night. My house is practically fire proof.

If he decides to have it come you may send it without delay of course without the frame.

Last winter I had it all  
arranged to go to Washington  
with the intention of doing the  
work there, but the sudden  
and fatal illness of a relative  
interrupted my plans.

Yours truly  
Frederick E. Church

X

Read from the  
front

No. 3806

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Williamson Hs. A.

Residence Lexington Va.

Date June 11, 1886

Rec'd " 12 "

Ack'g'd. " 13 " "

Answered.....

SUBJECT.

Sends Photo of a  
picture, which is off  
for sale for \$200

Does not care to have  
photo returned

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Reed June 1<sup>st</sup>  
Add " 15<sup>th</sup>  
Gentlemen

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Lexington Rockbridge Co  
Va. June 11<sup>th</sup> 1886

I send you a photograph and a "Rockbridge Co News". The paper has two pieces marked in Red which explain the photograph picture. The picture is more valuable as a great national design than as a work of Art. It cost me 416 hours work and I value my time at 5\$ per 10 hours worth and would be glad if you would purchase the Original in Water Colors at 200\$. If you will say you feel interest enough to purchase, I will expect the Original to you, for your inspection. I refer you to Mr R. Tucker N.C. for who I am.

Respectfully yours  
Thos A Williamson

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Dealers

as such only

Reed June 19

Lexington Va

June 18<sup>th</sup> 1886

To Wm MacLeod

Dear Sir I do not want the photograph returned. I hope it will suggest to you, to have a painting made, by a first rate artist, of the great natural subject, of Dr Slaughter's address, to be exhibited in the US Capital.

With kind regards I am respectfully yrs.

Jno H Williamson

No. 3807

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Winthrop Robt C.

Residence Brookline Mass.

Date June 12, 1886

Rec'd " 14 "

Ack'g'd. " 14 "

Answered.

SUBJECT.

Asks to be furnished with  
copy of inscription on the  
back of the Lamens portrait

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Hon. Robert C. Winthrop spoke of the New England Methodist Historical Society, the proceedings at whose sixth annual meeting have been recently published; and he then alluded to a portrait of Henry Laurens of South Carolina, said to have been painted by Copley while Laurens was confined in the Tower of London in 1781, he having been captured while on his way to Holland as our minister plenipotentiary. This picture was for sale in Washington when Mr. Winthrop saw it, and he was impressed anew with the conviction that a national portrait gallery should be established, where the history of our country should be illustrated by the likenesses of those who have been eminent in civil or military service, or in scientific or literary labors from the earliest period.

*Reed & Goldsmith June 14/92*

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Brookline, Mass.  
12 June, 1886.

Wm MacLeod, Esq.,  
Curator, ~ ~

Dear Sir,

At a meeting of our Historical Society, a few days ago, I alluded to the portrait of Laurens which I had seen at the Corcoran Gallery while in Washington. Will you do me the favor to send me a copy of <sup>all</sup> the inscriptions on the portrait, including the extract from the letter?

We have no idea of entering into any competition for the portrait. I inclose the newspaper report of my allusion to it. I desire the inscriptions and

for historical uses.

I trust my account  
of the Hampden & Lafayette  
portraits reached you  
duly.

Yours, respy & truly,  
R. G. Winthrop.

No. 3808

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Morse S. R.

Residence 377 Beacon St. Boston.

Date June 9, 14, 1886.

Rec'd., 11, 16 "

Ack'g'd. 11, 16 "

Answered.

SUBJECT.

Above Photographs,  
Reached her broken

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*Reid Add Adde  
June 16*

Fauter of the C. A. Gallery  
Dear Sir:

The pictures  
ordered by me of you  
came this morning in  
a very bad condition.  
The past board back  
and both pictures  
were badly cracked.

The pictures should  
not have been packed  
in that way, they  
should have been  
rolled.

I have had pic-  
tures sent from New

Turk. and Philadelphia  
phia book and have  
always had them  
delivered in good  
order, but these pic-  
tures are now of  
no use to me.

Am you willing  
to replace me off  
them I will pay  
for the transportation

Yours very truly  
C. R. Inner

377 Beacon st.,

Boston,

Mass. —

14" of pens

Reed & Bailey  
June 11

Please send to me  
two copies of the  
Vestal Tuccia (figured)  
12 x 16. at 75 cents each  
and will you kindly  
send them immedi-  
ately.

Very truly yours  
O. R. Morse

377 Beacon St.,  
Boston,  
Massachusetts,  
9<sup>th</sup> of June.

Enclosure \$2.00

No. 3809

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Taylor, J. D.

Residence Georgetown, D. C.

Date June 14, 1886

Rec'd. 16 "

Ack'g'd 16 "

Answered.

SUBJECT.

About miles for copying

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June 16/86  
16/86

J Cooke Row.  
Georgetown, D.C.  
June 14<sup>th</sup>. 1886.

William MacLeod Esq.  
Curator, &c.  
Corcoran Art Gallery.

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly inform me what are the rules, <sup>and</sup> forms in regard to allowing those who desire, the advantages of study, and privilege of copying the pictures in the gallery.

Very respectfully,  
T. D. Trapier.

No. 3810

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Gebbie Hea:  
Residence Phil'a

Date June 16. 1886

Rec'd .. 17 .. "

Ack'g'd .. 17 .. "

Answered ..

SUBJECT.

about enplying 50 more  
copies of the photoglyptic of  
the "Boston Boy" @ 10<sup>00</sup>



MEMORANDUM.

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→ H GEBBIE & CO. ←

900 CHESTNUT STREET,

Reed & Steele  
June 19. Philadelphia. June 16<sup>th</sup> 1886

Wm McLeod Esq<sup>r</sup>  
My dear Sir

I was not disappointed about the Boston Boys. indeed I am glad because I have now made an arrangement with Max Jacoby to send New York for the wholesaling the print

Before deciding whether to comply with Mr Corcoran's wish for 50 more prints may I enquire Cannot you supply them out of the 100 on hand?

It is no commercial abye on me to supply Mr Corcoran with 50 prints at that price - and might be cause of friction with Jacoby if I filled the order

I must however please Mr Corcoran at all risks if he really needs them because I so highly respect him and his

generous deeds

I have no objection to the newspaper  
now naming the value of the  
picture at \$6000 - at cost  
poor Mr Rodgers more than  
that - all told - thanks for your kind  
interest I am yours very truly

Geo Gebbe